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Marlene H. Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> St., S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: *Preserving the Open Internet*, GN Docket No. 09-191; *Broadband Industry Practices*,  
WC Docket No. 07-52

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On December 13, 2010, Kathleen Q. Abernathy, Chief Legal Officer and Executive Vice President, Regulatory and Government Affairs, discussed the above-captioned proceedings with Commissioner Robert McDowell. Ms. Abernathy emphasized that Frontier does not believe that the proposed Internet regulation is needed at this time but should the Commission decide to take action in these dockets, it is critical that the Commission ensures that any broadband regulation is applied in a technology-neutral manner. Ms. Abernathy's statements were consistent with Frontier's prior submission in this proceeding.<sup>1</sup>

Please feel free to contact me with any further questions.

Sincerely,

/s/

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cc: Commissioner Robert McDowell

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<sup>1</sup> Frontier Communications Comments, GN Docket No. 09-191, WC Docket No. 07-52, at 7-9 (Oct. 12, 2010).